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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
AUTOMATICALLY ANALYZING
GENE EXPRESSION SPOTS IN A
MICROARRAY

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In complete response to the Amendment and Response to Office Action dated 9/21/2006, attached please find:

1. Amendment and Response to Office Action, including Appendix (10 pages);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (2 pages);
3. Credit Card Payment Form (1 page); and
4. Postcard.

The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

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Respectfully submitted,

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